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What is claimed is:

1. An integrated messaging system comprising:  
a first terminal device that transmits and receives an electronic message in a first  
message presentation format;  
a wireless terminal device that transmits and receives electronic messages in a  
second message presentation format, the wireless terminal device operatively connected  
to the terminal device; and  
a server system that receives electronic messages sent from one of the terminal  
devices and modifies the electronic message to appear as though sent by the other  
terminal device type and transmitting the electronic message directly to a receiving  
terminal device.
2. The integrated messaging system of claim 1 wherein the wireless terminal device  
is a pager.
3. The integrated messaging system of claim 1 wherein a scripting agent modifies  
the electronic message transmitted to the wireless terminal device by performing a  
summary function on the electronic message.
4. The integrated messaging system of claim 1 further comprising at least one user  
profile and a scripting agent, wherein the scripting agent formats electronic messages to  
and from the terminal device in accordance with the user profile and the scripting agent

formats electronic messages to and from the wireless terminal device in accordance with the user profile.

5. The integrated messaging system of claim 1 further comprising a scripting agent and a user profile, wherein the scripting agent modifies the electronic message transmitted by the wireless terminal device by adding at least one of a signature block, a header, and a footer.

6. The integrated messaging system of claim 5, wherein the scripting agent formats an electronic message from the wireless terminal device to the terminal device in accordance with the formatting requirements of the terminal device.

7. The integrated messaging system of claim 6 wherein electronic messages sent by the wireless terminal device and received by a terminal device have the same formatting as electronic messages sent by the terminal device and received by the terminal device.

8. The integrated messaging system of claim 7 wherein the scripting agent performs a summary function on the electronic message prior to transmitting the electronic message to the wireless terminal device.

9. A method for managing communications of an electronic message between at least two terminal devices comprising a first and second terminal device, wherein the first terminal device has a first message presentation format and the second terminal

device is a wireless terminal device having a second message presentation format, the communication management method comprising the steps of:

receiving the electronic message from a sending terminal device in a sending terminal device message presentation format;

5 modifying the sending terminal device message presentation format to a receiving terminal device message presentation format; and

transmitting the electronic message to the receiving terminal device.

10. The communication management method of claim 9 wherein the sending terminal device is the first terminal device and the receiving terminal device is the wireless terminal device.

11. The communication management method of claim 9 wherein the sending terminal device is the wireless terminal device and the receiving terminal device is the first terminal device.

12. The communication management method of claim 9 wherein the modifying step comprises:

accessing a user profile;

20 determining an intended format based on the user profile and the receiving terminal device format; and

modifying the sending terminal device format according to the intended format and the receiving terminal device format.

13. The communication management method of claim 9 further comprising the step of transmitting a copy of the electronic message sent to the wireless terminal device to the first terminal device.

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10 14. A computer usable medium having computer readable program code embodied therein for managing communications of an electronic message between at least two terminal devices comprising a first terminal device and a second terminal device, wherein the first terminal device has a first message presentation format and the second terminal device is a wireless terminal device having a second message presentation format, the computer readable code comprising:

15 computer code for causing a computer system to receive the electronic message from a sending terminal device in a sending terminal device format;

computer code for causing a computer system to modify the sending terminal device format to a receiving terminal device format; and

computer code for causing a computer system to transmit the electronic message to the receiving terminal device.

15. An integrated messaging system comprising:

20 first terminal device means for transmitting and receiving electronic messages in a first message presentation format;

wireless terminal device means for transmitting and receiving electronic messages in a second message presentation format, the wireless terminal device means operatively connected to the terminal device means; and

scripting agent means for modifying the electronic messages sent in a sending terminal device means format to appear as though the electronic message was sent by a receiving terminal device means and forwarding the electronic message directly to the receiving terminal device means.

16. The integrated messaging system of claim 15 further comprising transmitting means for transmitting electronic messages to associated terminal device means when the electronic message is sent to the wireless terminal device means.

17. The integrated messaging system of claim 15 wherein the scripting agent means modifies the electronic message sent from the first terminal device means to the wireless terminal device means by summarizing the electronic message.

18. The integrated messaging system of claim 15 wherein the scripting agent means modifies the electronic message in accordance with a user profile.

19. The integrated messaging system of claim 15 wherein the scripting agent means modifies the first message presentation format of the electronic message destined to the wireless terminal device by summarizing the electronic message.

20. ~~The integrated messaging system of claim 15 wherein the scripting agent formats the electronic message sent from the wireless terminal device means to the first terminal device means by adding at least one of a header, footer, and signature block.~~

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